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PATENTEEPATENT NO.

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5,555,021

The SONY Semiconductor IC Data Book  
1986, 1987, pages 25, 9, 143, 146, 150, 58

Patent No. 5,555,021 discloses a noise prevention method for a TV camera.

The SONY Semiconductor IC Data Book discloses a general construction of a camera, video recorder using CCD element.

Copies of these references are enclosed.

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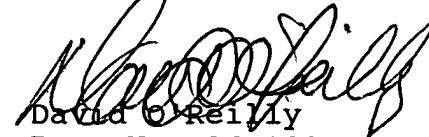
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None of the references cited above appear to teach or fairly disclose, alone or in any reasonable combination, the novel features of applicant's claimed invention.

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